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# MOTHER'S DAY

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## Its Origin and Purpose

### GOOD MOTHERS

And What Their Children Thought of Them

UPON a tombstone erected by a family of children, was the inscription: "Our mother. She always made home happy."

Augustine, who was so prominent in the early church, was a very wicked man until he reached the age of twenty-nine. His mother, Monica, never ceased to pray for his conversion, however. The very journey in which he met Ambrose, under whom he was converted, was a journey planned against his mother's wishes; but she prayed out, and God heard.

Cecil, though once full of skeptical notions, said afterwards, "There was one argument I never could get over—the influence and life of a godly mother."

A little child was once asked, "Where do you live?" Turning toward his mother, who stood near by, the little one said: "Where mamma is, there's where I live."

In answer to the question, "What makes a home?" Dr. James Hamilton's answer was, "A mother's love."

### MOTHER'S INFLUENCE

IT would be well, some one has said, for us all, old and young, to remember that our words and actions, eye, and our thoughts also, are so upon ever-stopping wheels, rolling on and on into the pathway of Eternity. And there is a particular sense in which the words and actions and thoughts—for these must of necessity find expression in action—of the homemaker will be reproduced. A woman's greatest power for good or evil lies in her example, her conscious and unconscious influence.

Listening to her utterances from earliest infancy, imitating her language, observing her actions and copying them with alacrity, the child, quite apart from hereditary tendencies, reproduces the mother in manners, word, and deed, so that, to a large degree, at any rate, the child reflects the character of the mother. Nor does it stop there, for her example, reproduced in the child, may be perpetuated in other children for generations to come, even though modified by prevailing circumstances. If, therefore, her influence is for good, not only her home circle, but future generations will be brighter and better for her example; if evil, the opposite effect must of necessity be produced.

IN 1908 Miss Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia, observed the first "Mother's Day" in memory of her own mother. Believing that others shared her feelings, she began a nation-wide movement to have the day observed. She struck a responsive chord in nearly every heart. Little by little the idea grew. The Congress of the United States set apart the day by a formal act, and the President recommended its observance. It is now not only a national day, but international. Country after country has responded to its appeal until its observance on the second Sunday in May each year has become world-wide.

Well may we pause to pay honor to her who, after Jesus Christ, is God's best gift to men—MOTHER. It was she who shared her life with us when yet our members were unformed. Into the valley of the shadow she walked that we might have the light of life. In her arms was the garner of our food, and the soft couch for our repose. There we nestled in the hour of pain, there was the playground of our infant glee. Those arms later became our refuge

## MY MOTHER

She gave the best years of her life  
With joy to me,  
And robbed herself, with loving heart,  
Unstintingly.

For me with willing hands she toiled  
From day to day;  
For me she prayed when headstrong youth  
Would have its way.

And though no other eyes than mine  
Their meaning trace,  
I read my history in the lines  
Of her dear face.

And 'mid His gems, who showers His gifts  
As shining sands,  
I count her days as pearls that fall  
From His kind hands.

and stronghold. It was she who taught our baby-feet to go and lifted us over the rough places. Her blessed hands plied the needle by day and by night to make the little garments that we should wear. She put the book under our arm and started us off for school. But, best of all, she taught our baby lips to lisp the name of Jesus and told us first the wondrous story of a Saviour's love.

## Mother Still Prays For You

"And He delivered him to his mother."—Luke 7:15.

IN these words I think Jesus inferred to the people standing by, "I have done this in answer to a mother's prayers and tears, and for her sake." The young man brought back from the dead was not told to go through all the land telling this marvelous story, but to go home with his mother and make glad again one lonely, sorrowful human heart, and kindle the domestic fire that had gone out. In other words, begin at home—make restitution for the sorrow your death has caused.

One of the earliest signs of the

young man finding Christ is that he finds his mother. If through his sin he has strayed away and forgotten her, and has not written to her until she has to mourn his loss as dead, just as soon as he comes in touch with The Living Saviour, who brings him forth from the grave of degradation and sin, he becomes concerned about finding his mother. One mother was heard to say, "I knew Richard was saved because he came home, and for the first time in many years he kissed me and called me his dearest mother."

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And there are thousands of men and women in our ranks to-day who owe all they know of God to the faithful personal dealing of some loving soul who snatched at the opportunity afforded by the crossing of two paths.

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## OTHERS

## Vocation of Motherhood

A STIRRING CALL TO CLOSE ATTENTION OF PARENTAL DUTIES

BY MRS. GENERAL BOOTH

IT has been well said that "the best way to become good is to be born good," and it will be a work of the very highest worth to the masses of the people of our race if we can set before them what it means to be a true mother, and if we can influence them, instruct their minds, and shape their feelings, till public opinion shall be in favor of a pure, a sheltered, an instructed, and a free mother.

May I suggest one or two principles which I venture to think must underlie that conception:

First, the necessity of exalting the idea of marriage.

That is, taking it on altogether a new plane, and raising it from the sordid contract of social convenience, or financial advantage, from the hasty union of passion, and from the ill-considered alliance of the ignorant lad with the undeveloped girl.

We can have no hope for the motherhood for which we plead, apart from marriage based on the pure, respectful love of one man for one woman. Such a marriage will, under the sanction of God's Providence, prove a true union. It may not be a sacrament, but it will be—whether recognized or not—a sacred thing.

Then, let us declare that such a wife must be free.

That is, free in the disposal of her own person, free as regards her own thoughts and convictions, free in the very highest sense of the word.

When this standard of life is recognized, we shall find we have travelled far towards a motherhood which realizes the greatness of its vocation, which honors and accepts its part in the continuing and ennobling of our race, and which welcomes to its arms, without a shadow of reserve, every new life entrusted to it.

Thirdly, the great law of nature, that the true Mother will herself nourish her child.

That any Mother should shirk this duty, when circumstances permit her to discharge it, is a shame to her, and that any Mother should be prevented by poverty or want, is a shame to us as a nation. If we fail in our children, what is to become of our race? "Not all the merchandise of the seas"—as Mr. Rider Haggard has been saying—"nor all the wealth of the earth, can supply their place."

Then, lastly, the true mother is her child's best Teacher.

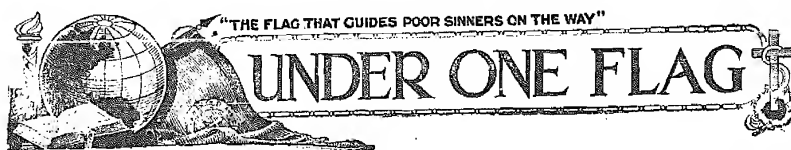
The child will learn the most from whomever first loves it, and upon the mother rests, we must insist, the responsibility of that training of the heart, beside which, as Sir Walter Scott truly says, "all other training is moonshine."

The Spaniards have a proverb—"An ounce of mother is worth a ton of priest." Our mothers of to-day need to beware of delegating to others those duties and responsibilities which they themselves are best fitted to carry, even though these "others" be Professors—no matter how able or how experienced, whether in religion, in medicine, or in science.

The mother for whom we plead will be one who devotes her powers to the care of her children; and whose example of unselfishness will prove her children's chief incentive to a noble life. In the development of their nobility of character and physique, in their devotion to duty, in their patriotism, in their love of honor and truth, she will find, first by anticipation, and then by happy experience, the great joy of her life. Without this all worldly display, all sensual gratification, all selfishness, will be less than nothing. Let us show that a mother's instructed, unselfish love returns with a thousandfold of blessing to her own heart.

You will not be surprised that, as an Officer of The Salvation Army, I should add that a mother—to realize the supreme ideal of motherhood—will be one who, having received her children in the spirit of our Saviour's words—"Whoso shall receive one such little child in My name receiveth Me" (Matthew 18:5), and having trained them in that unselfishness and self-restraint which she has learned from Him, will guide their feet to His Throne in humble prayer and dedication. Also, that this mother will let her children hear first from her own lips the secret things of life, and will thus send them forth forewarned and forearmed to meet the evils of the world around, and to embrace lives of purity and devotion in the service of their God.

True Motherhood is among the holiest and highest vocations to which a woman can consecrate her gifts and powers.



"THE FLAG THAT GUIDES POOR SINNERS ON THE WAY"

## UNDER ONE FLAG

## THE SALVATION WAR IN GERMANY

Many New Soldiers Enrolled—Soul-saving Among Prisoners—A Million and a Half Free Meals Given to the Hungry

IN spite of difficulties such as can scarcely be imagined in many other countries, the Salvation War in Germany is making gratifying progress. God is wonderfully blessing the efforts of our comrades there.

During a recent campaign in the Southern Division, Commissioner Ogden, the Territorial Commander, visited, among large Corps, Munich and Stuttgart, and found at each centre a sturdy band of Soldiers zealous in the Fight and devoted to The Army's principles. At the latter place The Army Hall is crowded for almost every Meeting, so eager are the people to hear the Salvation message, and on the occasion of the Commissioner's visit fifty seekers knelt at the Mercy Seat.

Another evidence of The Army's vitality is seen in the encouraging fact that during the past eight to ten months over 900 new Soldiers have been enrolled in the Division alone, and the attendance at Meetings have increased by more than 2,000. Staff-Captain Ida Gilchrist has been appointed to organize the Young People's work in the Division, which is full of future possibilities as well as of immediate promise.

With unflinching devotion, Field and Social officers continue their efforts to feed the starving throughout the country. The number of hungry people is appalling. The Press freely acknowledges that by making their Field Kitchens (from which hot food is supplied free) into the principal thoroughfares, The Army has brought forcibly before the public the extent of the misery being suffered by the poorer classes. The total number of meals served to the needy up to a few days ago was over one and a half million!

Splendid progress is also reported in connexion with the Men's Social Work throughout the Territory. Many

## REMEMBER!

## JESUS SAID:

"Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature." (Mark 16: 15.)

## Week of Self-Denial, May 11th to 18th

The Army operates in 79 Countries and Colonies, and proclaims the Everlasting Gospel in 53 languages.

It maintains 1,406 Social Institutions, where in one year 8,523,331 beds and 14,364,802 meals were supplied to hungry outcasts.

It spends over one million dollars a year from the Central Funds as an International Missionary Society and maintains large Mission Hospitals in Eastern and Western Lands.

## A HALL ON PILES

New Building Opened in Celebes—Young Prince Among the Converts

A NEW Hall has recently been built at Bora, the first centre of Salvation Army activity in Celebes, Dutch East Indies, to replace the original building destroyed by fire. The somewhat primitive structure is roofed with leaves of coconut palm. The walls are plaited ribs of the palm branch. The house is elevated on piles about three feet from the ground to keep the rooms dry. The old-style house used to be from eight to twelve feet high, and under it the people buried their dead. This practice is now



Commissioner and Mrs. Pearce, Colonel A. Smith, Lieut.-Commissioner and Mrs. Paistra, recently appointed to the Command of the Korea Territory, and Officers attached to T. H. Q., Peking, China.

"The War Cry" which has been faced with many difficulties owing to the recent financial crisis, is making a rapid recovery and circulating freely among the people with its news of Salvation and of the Salvation War.

The highly-esteemed liberty to hold Open-air Meetings brings The Army not only into closer contact with the masses, but has also had the effect of attracting a considerable amount of new interest in the work of the Organization.

forbidden, and they are built just high enough for the women to work underneath cleaning and preparing the rice, and doing other household duties.

The old native influence here is very strong. Army progress is slower than in other parts, but encouraging results are being secured. Recent Converts include a young prince, and it is hoped that this circumstance will have a wide influence in leading the people to seek God.

From this centre Ensign Rosenlund, the Officer in charge, who hails from Finland, works several other villages, so that the influence exerted by the Salvationists reaches far beyond their own immediate surroundings.

## SAVING FROM RUIN

A GENEROUS tribute to The Army's influence for good upon the soldiers stationed in and around Calcutta has been forwarded to Brigadier Leib of the Calcutta Headquarters, by Major-General T. Astley Cubitt, the officer commanding the Bengal Presidency and Assam district, Fort William.

"I have much pleasure," he says, "in testifying to the magnificent work performed by The Salvation Army in and around Calcutta for the benefit of the troops stationed here, and also for those passing through. I am personally aware of several cases where the direct influence of The Salvation Army has saved a soldier from ruining his career, and I am deeply grate-

## BREVITIES

THE Chief of the Staff, Commissioner Higgins, spent a Sunday campaigning at Warrington, in the north of England. Among the fifty-nine seekers registered during the day were a father, mother, daughter and son of one family. In the afternoon the Chief lectured before His Worship the Mayor, and a great crowd, representative of every phase of the city's life.

Bandman Norman Rainson, of the Walsend Corps, England, while endeavoring to rescue a workmate the mine where he works, himself fell victim to the deadly fire damp. He was a splendid worker in the Corps and was an accepted Candidate.

A well-known society leader, Lady St. Heller, recently placed her drawing-room in the West End of London, at the disposal of The Army for a Meeting to be addressed by Mrs. Major Bernard Booth.

In Kenya a recent three weeks "concentrated effort on soul-saving" resulted in the registering of over four hundred penitents, as well as the reviving and firing of our Soldiers and Local Officers with new zeal.

The Women's Social Work in the British Territory operates through 26 Industrial Homes, 11 Mothers' and Infants' Homes, 2 Mothers' Hospitals, 3 Children's Homes, 10 Hostels for Women, 6 Eventide Homes, 1 Inebriates' Home and 59 Slum centres.

Salvation Army work in Swiss prisons has recently been organized, and a regular system of visitation has been inaugurated. No fewer than thirty-five prisons are now open to Salvationists in that country.

The topic among the frequenters of a certain Leytonstone public house, England, on a recent Sunday night was "What would I do if I had only five minutes to live?" It was occasioned by the remark of a Salvationist in the Open-air Meeting outside the premises.

A man who had resisted the Spirit of God for several months, was, one Saturday afternoon, in company with his small son, gathering blackberries. While thus engaged God spoke again, and in such a powerful manner that he dropped on to his knees in the narrow lane and cried for forgiveness.

At a demonstration held recently in Helsinki, capital of Finland, in the interests of The Army's work among the deaf and dumb and blind, a number of items were rendered by the sufferers including a company song in the language of signs.

Colonel Allister Smith, for many years Chief Secretary for Native Work in South Africa; Lieut.-Colonel Fred Clark, the present Native Secretary; and Brigadier General, now of China, but formerly of South Africa, are among the principal characters in a book just issued from The Army's Press, under the title of "Nomquaba: A Zulu Maid."

At Belfast J. Corps, Ireland, sixty new Soldiers were enrolled on a recent Sunday evening. These included fifty recruits and ten transfers from the Y. P. Corps.



## Bandmaster Charles Adams

## ST. CATHARINES

It was with Plymouth Congress Hall Band that Charles Adams began his musical career. At the age of nine years, he was given an instrument and a set of second horn music, and told to get busy. The fanner delved enthusiastically into his new venture, and made rapid headway.

Opposition served neither to unsettle the Comrade's convictions nor in what to abate his zeal. Developing rapidly in his musical pursuits, and commanding respect by exemplary conduct and obvious earnestness of purpose, he held the baton in two London (England) Bands while still hovering near the twenty mark, and as a Bandmaster, he showed himself to be a judicious and competent director.

Then came his transfer to Canada. He located in St. Catharines, and he was not long in that city before he was entrusted with the leadership of the Band, and progress that spoke volumes for the capability of the new leader attended his efforts.

In 1915, Bandmaster Adams went Overseas with the First Canadian Battalion. Of his experiences abroad, it may be said that in France, as in Canada, the quality of his faithfulness and service was high; not only in standard, but in execution, in-creased by wounds. Brother Adams was given the baton of a band that had, under him, the distinction of leading the First Canadian Division across the Rhine. After demobilization, at the conclusion of hostilities, the Bandmaster returned to St. Catharines and took the reins of leadership afresh. In every regard, the Band has improved with pleasing consistency.

Not only does the Bandmaster labor strenuously with the Senior Band, but further contributes much of his time, with obvious foresight to the training of the young people in the Corps.

## Honorary Bandmaster George Newman

(LATE OF BRANTFORD, NOW OF THE UNITED STATES)

"THERE ain't no room in 'ere for the folks of you," was the wot-blanket announcement your George received on his first attempt, with other lads, to gain admittance to The Army Hall.

The door-keeper was not a prophet, and perhaps he is to be excused from foreseeing that among those prankish boys was one who would some day, in that very Hall, successfully lead the band of the Bandmaster.

On George's next attempt to enter the Hall he managed to evade the





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In Kenya a recent three weeks' "concentrated effort on soul-saving" resulted in the registering of over four hundred penitents, as well as the reviving and firing of our Soldiers and Local Officers with fresh zeal.

The Women's Social Work in the British Territory operates through 26 Industrial Homes, 10 Mothers' and Infants' Homes, 2 Mothers' Hospitals, 3 Children's Homes, 10 Hostels for Women, 6 Eventide Homes, 1 Inebriates' Home and 59 Slum centres.

Salvation Army work in Swiss prisons has recently been organized and a regular system of visitation has been inaugurated. No fewer than thirty-five prisons are now open to Salvationists in that country.

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England, on a recent Sunday night was "What would I do if I had only five minutes to live?" It was occasioned by the remark of a Salvationist in the Open-air Meeting outside the premises.

A man who had resisted the Spirit of God for several months, was on Saturday afternoon, in company with his small son, gathering blackberries. While thus engaged God spoke again, and in such a powerful manner that he dropped on to his knees in the narrow lane-way and cried for forgiveness.

At a demonstration held recently in Helsinki, Finland, in the interests of The Army's work among the deaf and dumb and blind, a number of items were rendered by the sufferers including a company song in the language of signs.

Colonel Allister Smith, for many years Chief Secretary for Native Work in South Africa; Lieut. Colonel Fred Clark, the present Native Secretary; and Brigadier Chard, now of China, but formerly of South Africa, are among the principal characters in a book just issued from The Army's Press, under the title of "Nongquba: A Zulu Maid."

At Belfast 1. Corps, Ireland, sixty new Soldiers were enrolled on a recent Sunday evening. These included fifty Recruits and ten transfers from the Y.P. Corps.

## OUR ACADEMY OF WORTHIES

## Bandmaster Charles Adams

**ST. CATHARINES**  
It was with Plymouth Congress Hall Band that Charles Adams began his musical career. At the age of nine years, he was given an instrument and a set of second horn music, and told to get busy. The learner delved enthusiastically into his new venture, and made rapid headway.

Opposition served neither to unseat our Comrade's convictions nor in one whit to abate his zeal. Developing rapidly in his musical pursuits, and commanding respect by exemplary conduct and obvious earnestness of purpose, he held the baton in two London (England) Bands, while still hovering near the twenty mark, and as a Bandmaster, he showed himself to be a judicious and competent director.

Then came his transfer to Canada. He located in St. Catharines, and he was not long in that city before he was entrusted with the leadership of the Band, and progress that spoke volumes for the capability of the new leader attended his efforts. In 1915, Bandmaster Adams went Overseas with the First Canadian Battalion. Of his experiences abroad, it may be said that in France, as in Canada, the quality of his faithfulness and service was high; not only in standard, but in execution. Incapacitated by wounds, Brother Adams was given the baton of a band that had, under him, the distinction of leading the First Canadian Division across the Rhine. After de-mobilization, at the conclusion of hostilities, the Bandmaster returned to St. Catharines and took the reins of leadership afresh. In every regard, the Band has improved with pleasing consistency.

Not only does the Bandmaster labor strenuously with the Senior Band, but further contributes much of his time, with obvious foresight to the training of the young people in the Corps.

## Honorary Bandmaster George Newman

(LATE OF BRANTFORD, NOW OF THE UNITED STATES)

"THERE ain't no room in 'ere for the likes of you," was the wet-blanket announcement poor George received on his first attempt, with other lads, to gain admittance to the Army Hall. The door-keeper was not a prophet, and perhaps he is to be excused from foreseeing that among those prankish boys was one who would some day, in that very Hall, successfully wield the baton of a Bandmaster.

On George's next attempt to enter the Hall he managed to evade the

vigilant eye of the door-keeper and slipped inside, and in course of time he gave his heart to God.

Observing young Newman's aptitude for music, the Officer handed him a battered cornet which he dealt with to the discomfiture of the neighbors. Prayer and perseverance worked wonders, and ultimately he had the oversight of a Band numbering thirty players.

The lure of Canada attracted our comrade and, in 1907 he, with Mrs. Newman, landed in Brantford where, for twelve years he ably led the No. 1. Corps Band.

"British to the backbone," our Brother did his bit in the great struggle, and was with the Eighth Canadian Battalion in France. Truly his is a wonderful record—a record of loyal Salvationism and efficient service, and while he has relinquished the baton he still grasps the sword of the Spirit and is fighting the good fight of faith.

## Sister Mrs. Sanders KINGSTON

TO those who have never made the acquaintance of Mrs. Sanders, it might be intimated that she is the lady who regularly appears on the streets of Kingston with a bundle of War Cry's under her arm.

For years she has been in charge of 'War Cry' sales in the Limestone City, and in addition to getting the official organ of The Salvation Army into many homes, she has done much other work to help spread the glad tidings of Salvation.

During the period of the war, Mrs. Sanders spent practically all her time visiting the soldiers in their different quarters, and extending a word of cheer to them. She became so dear to the men of the Expeditionary Force, who were training in Kingston, that it was not many months before she was generally known as "Mother," a name which she still carries, and is likely to do for the rest of her life.

She generally had the 'War Cry' all right, and if the boys chose to buy, it was all right, and if not, she gave them one out of the generosity of her heart. Mrs. Sanders was so well liked by the boys that she used to sit down at the table with them, and partake of their meals. Her activities were not only confined to the different lodging places of the soldiers, but she carried on an active Christian campaign among the soldiers in the hospitals.

An evidence that her work among the wounded and sick soldiers was appreciated was shown in the fact that a couple of years ago when the great Salvation Army Congress was held in Toronto, the patients at Sydenham Hospital took up a collection and sent her as their delegate, and paid all expenses. If Mrs. Sanders thought for a minute that the soldier boys' socks or clothes were in need of repair, she used to mend them free of charge.

## Sister Mrs. Roberts LONDON II.

USUALLY, first impressions are lasting; certainly such is the case so far as Mrs. Roberts' first impressions of The Army are concerned. Not only are they lasting impressions, but they are also somewhat amusing.

While walking the street with a companion she heard a terrible hulla-buloo, and upon enquiring what it all meant was told that The Salvation Army had come to town. This occasioned a good deal of merriment, but her interest had been awakened, and it was not long before she was attending The Army Meetings following the service at the Baptist Church at which place she was a member. The first inside Meeting she attended was no less amusing to her than had been the Open-air Meeting. Several people were praying at once; roughs were wrangling; others were testifying, and amid all the hubbub the Captain, a sweet, holy girl, sang "Through and through, Jesus make me holy." It was this that broke up our young comrade, so that she could have thrown herself at the feet of this saintly lass. Later she claimed the blessing and became a Soldier at Peckham Corps, London, England, which was afterwards known as the Borough Corps.

Reminiscences of early-day Commanding Officers flood her memory, and among them Commissioner Richards figures prominently. She once attended an Open-air Meeting in a feather-docked and fashionable hat, but was told by Captain Richards that she couldn't sing in her ring with those feathers. From that time, she avers, the desire for finery left her.

Emigrating to this country, in 1906, our Sister found opportunity to engage in real Salvation warfare, and that her labors have borne fruit is very evident. One of her children is an Officer—Mrs. Adjutant Woolcott, of Chatham, and another, Sister Mrs. Ward, ably presides at the piano at London I. Corps.

Our Comrade proudly records the fact that she was instrumental in bringing about her brother's conversion, of whose family one is Ensign Gregory of I.I.O.; another is a missionary in China (Mrs. Ensign Bexton); and two sons are Bandmasters in London, Ont. Added to this there are thirteen grandchildren of Mrs. Roberts' who are all Salvationists.

## Honorary Bandsman George Bradley

TEMPLE CORPS (Toronto)

CONFIRMED—and yet unsaved! Such was George Bradley's experience as a lad. Small wonder that there was a strange feeling of incompleteness within his heart and an indefinable craving for something more than he possessed. Thus it was that, on a certain day in the year 1882, his pulse quickened and his whole frame thrilled as he saw a mob

rolling in the mud a young man who wore a flaming red gurnsey, upon which was worked in vivid yellow lettering, "The Salvation Army." Instinctively he felt a "follow-come" for this unfortunate victim of the rabble and he followed him to the Coliseum, which was held in the old Coliseum. So huge was the crowd that the floor began to give and the management, fearing the building would collapse, turned The Army out.

As yet no decided step had been taken regarding conversion, but after frequenting some Open-air Meetings and observing the fiery earnestness of the speakers, George Bradley was convicted so mightily that he yielded. This occurred on his third visit to the old Yorkville Barracks.

Then came some testing times which would rival those of "Whitechapel days in the '60's." His first uniform was sadly maltreated. Nothing daunted, he stepped into the Open-air ring to give his testimony and to speak of sin and its consequences when—an egg of ancient origin, thrown with unerring accuracy by a woman, struck him squarely in the mouth; and, to add insult to injury, the crowd jeeringly shouted, "How do you like that, Sally?"

Toronto Tropic Corps lays claim to the major portion of this veteran's thirty-nine years' service. For fifteen years he was Corps Color Sergeant and was Band Color Sergeant for a similar period. It was from this latter position that our Comrade was honorably retired to the Band Reserve. His activities have been curtailed considerably owing to a distressing accident, in which both legs were broken and badly lacerated in a hydraulic lift.

So serious was his condition that four doctors declared that he would not live, and seven declared he would never walk again. Contrary to their belief, he made a miraculous recovery and is able to work and attend Meetings regularly, where he never ceases to ascribe to God all the glory.

## Corps Cadet Guardian Mrs. Weston ST. THOMAS

ORPHANED at the age of five, the subject of our sketch would have fared ill had it not been for the benevolence of a saintly aunt. It was whilst in her teens that the "narrow way" was pointed out to her by a Sunday School teacher at a church revival service.

Putting her hand to the plow she has never once turned back. How God transformed this timid, shy girl into a warrior bold is a story in itself. The matter of War selling troubled her greatly, but a good Soldier-spirit did the power that she dared not refuse her Office.

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# The General in Australia

Animated Scenes at Adelaide-Civic Reception by Lord Mayor - His Excellency the Governor-General Presides at Lecture

THRILLING MISSIONARY MEETING WHEN HUNDREDS WERE TURNED AWAY - CROWDS YIELD TO THE CLAIMS OF GOD

Melbourne, March 30th, 1924.

THE General's campaign in Australia is proving how redoubtable is his fighting spirit, how gracefully uplifted is his soul. For, whether in public or in private gatherings, whether guiding the attack in a "Battle for Souls" or counselling Officers, he adapts himself to the changing circumstances with readiness, displaying a resourcefulness which is the joy of every beholder.

Happily at his ease alike in Young People's Councils as in Staff and Field Officers' gatherings, The Army's Leader is just as powerful in Holiness and Salvation Meetings as in lecturing on Army triumphs of early days, or in presenting the claims of the darkened millions in a Missionary Meeting. And now a new test finds the General versatile as ever. The problem of finding room for a few more people, when thousands are unable to gain admission to even the largest buildings, has necessitated the keeping out of the Meetings of children of tender years.

## "Admission by Children"

This also has led to preventing parents finding entrance, where they would not leave their little ones in the care of Officers appointed for the purpose, with the result that much disappointment is caused to persons who have come, in some cases, hundreds of miles to see and hear the General. That they have brought about this condition of things by overlooking the announcements made on the subject did not outweigh our Leader's desire to compensate them in some way, so he arranged to conduct a Meeting with Mothers—"Admission by Children."

Frankly, it was a risky experiment, but it was splendidly successful. The Citadel at Adelaide presented an animated scene on the Monday afternoon, when the General arrived in the midst of the "Mothers and Children" Meeting. There was some little noise; there was considerable movement; even while he addressed the gathering—but the impression made upon the mothers, as also upon the boys and girls to whom he especially addressed himself, was profound. And I can well imagine with what anxious desire and hopefulness many of those mothers will, in the years to come, bring to the recollection of those children the words of the General.

At Perth, in Western Australia, at Adelaide, in South Australia, and, at the time of writing, in Melbourne, Victoria, our Officer and Soldier Comrades have had presented to them, in the General's own person, object-lessons of how the fighting Salvationist wages untiring war upon the forces of evil. That they have been inspired has been made most obvious in the decisions to which they have come, and in the offerings which they have made, certainly Australia will benefit, but so also will the Missionary Field.

## Source of Amazement

That the General is busy goes without saying, but that he can maintain, with such strenuous activity, unrelaxingly, the burdens of an international Organisation, and in addition find time and strength to multiply the already numerous items contained in the Congress program, is the amazement of all who are permitted to witness the work.

Spencer Street Station, Melbourne, on the Saturday morning of the General's arrival in Melbourne, was agog with Salvationists, waving, shouting, singing, cheering, and over all the roar of the combined Staff and Cadets' Band, while the Press cameras clicked away like machine guns in fierce action and the reporters fought through the pressing throng to catch our Leader's words when he could find space for speech.

A gesture, and the great crowd lapsed into sudden and expectant silence. The General stood in our, his white head bowed in acknowledgment of the innumerable greeting, and spoke warm words straight from his heart—words which he seasoned with Australian expressions, delighting every hearer. Another rousing cheer, the grumbling of motor

car gears and—who-o-o-o!—he was gone!

Yes, but whither? To the Training Garrison, where a guard of honor, composed of girls from Army Homes in the vicinity, awaited him with songs and floral tributes of affection. A few words to these wards of The Salvation Army and indoors—to meet, within three minutes, representatives of the Melbourne Press, who kept him engaged for half an hour in an important interview.

## Councils for Life-Saving Scouts

Six minutes only for hurried lunch and off again to the Civic Reception by the Lord Mayor in the Town Hall. A cordial gathering, the expression of heartiest sentiments by the Chief Magistrate, then endorsed by the whole company on behalf of the wider constituencies whom they represent and once again the General is off. This time he is intercepted by a host of Life-Saving Scouts and Guards while he is on his way to a Soldiers' Council in the Independent Church. These vigorous young people garbed in crimson and grey, present a magnificent and colorful picture as they march past the Parliament House, before which the General has established his saluting base, and then, when they have arrayed themselves on the steps of the dignified pile of State buildings, he addresses them in memorable phrases.

Cutting through the onlooking hosts, the car quickly conveys the General to the scene of the first of two valuable Councils with the Troops of Victoria, and ere these are concluded the time is within an hour or so of midnight and over one hundred Comrades are rejoicing over the fact that they have voluntarily dedicated themselves to make practical in their own life the new visions seen that day.

## Attractive Campaign Title

"A great Battle for Souls" was the advertised title of Sunday's campaign in the Auditorium. Would that the walls were elastic, for the crowds which thronged about the entrances to the great building were such that the space available was fully occupied long before each Meeting was timed to commence. Two overflow gatherings were arranged, but these proved insufficient, also, to absorb the anxious mass of would-be attendants. His Excellency the Governor-General, the Rt. Hon. Lord Forster, P.C., G.C.M.G., presided in the afternoon, when the General spoke for an hour on "The Salvation Army's Origin and its Development." The audience sat in utter stillness drinking in the romantic story which is so greatly fraught with encouragement to faith in God. The day's fight yielded one hundred and twenty individual victories to the glory of God.

Monday was another busy day for the General, including, as it did, business conferences all the morning, and in the early afternoon a Meeting with the business men of the city in the Assembly Hall. This was a remarkable gathering in many ways. Youth was conspicuously absent, for here were the men—grey-bearded and white-poll— who had learned the secret of success in the markets of the city. They bore the signs of responsibility, the tokens of long-won struggles were printed indelibly in their stern features. They had rushed away from the urgent claims of European mail-days; they could not stay long, in any case; but for the all too brief hour they sat there charmed by a wonderful personality associated with a God-inspired Organisation.

## Difficulties Known from A to Z

Just an hour thereafter and the City Temple was almost filled with an assemblage of sturdy Local Officers—men and women who faithfully second the Field Officers' efforts throughout the Territory. The General knows these executive comrades difficulties from A to Z and his revelation of his experience and of the lessons he had wrung therefrom was valuable in the extreme to the seven hundred comrades who had been invited.

Straight from that uplifting occasion the General passed on to the Collingwood Town Hall, a commodious building which he found packed to the

doors with the kind of young people who represent Australia's future. This, then, was a destiny-deciding event, and The Army's Leader was definitely conscious that his every word, every song and note of music should have a significance which might be expected to lead thoughts and hearts and actions in the one way desired. One hundred and seven of those fifteen hundred Young People sought the Throne of Grace with purposeful concentration of their utmost all to the service of God in The Army.

## Memorable Missionary Meeting

One of the most thrilling finales I have ever witnessed was that which ensued at the close of the General's address in the Town Hall, Melbourne, where the great Missionary Meeting was held, on the next evening. By reason of the speedy way in which the vast hall was filled, the meeting was begun nearly an hour earlier than the announced time—and already hundreds were being turned away. The house was packed everywhere. The heart of even the slowest person present must have responded with accelerated beat to the stirring words of Australian Officers who have returned from China and Java and to the passionate appeal of Staff-Captain Devji, of India. The measured phrases which fell from the lips of the General were vibrant with a deep undertone which awakened cords in the hearts of many and prompted visions in the minds of most, so that few failed to realize the need there is that men and women, with souls alight with sanctified fires should go forth to lead those who sit in the gross darkness of non-Christian lands into the Light of Life.

Every ear was trained to listen, every soul was conscious of the millions of hands outstretched in dire extremity of awful necessity. Many longed for the news of the need, but when in the midst of a moving appeal, the General called for flesh and blood offerings to be placed on the altar in response to the Saviour's "Go ye!" soon the Mercy Seat was filled to overflowing, and, from side to side of that great building, in the shadow of the platform, the row of kneeling Comrades was complete. Again and again that row was remade, until there had been fifty-five offerings for foreign service and forty-three others, moved by the devotion, thus displayed, had given their lives to God to be fitted for His good pleasure. Altogether more than four hundred surrenders were registered in the public gatherings at the Melbourne Congress.

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Largely beset, and on every hand, by ten thousand calls upon heart and mind, the General nevertheless contrives to live in an atmosphere of high serenity; to have a soul at leisure from his surroundings, and to be keenly, acutely, responsive to the small voices as well as to the great. Thus, in passing into the Town Hall, at Collingwood, the other night, and seeing a number of little children gazing shyly up at him, The Army's Leader paused, in the presence of the huge demand being made upon him already by the waiting young men and women in the building, to shake hands smilingly with the tiny who now came forward to surround him, and to imprint his blessing upon the forehead of a sleeping babe reposing upon the arm of its young mother.

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MAY GOD CONTINUE TO GRANT UNTO OUR GENERAL, JOURNEYING MERCIES

# The War

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LARGE NUMBERS OF NEW

## HAMILTON DIVISION

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That the Campaign has been successful, and while there are many that gratify us, there is a marked improvement in the efficiency of the Corps. Reorganization of various activities brought about as a result of the revival taken place amongst our own Soldiers. Officers have worked hard and well to Campaign a success, and in this have been helped by the rallying of the Soldiers.

The Pontifical Form results show that there has been an exercise of faith brought about these results. During the month FOUR HUNDRED AND EIGHTY people have knelt at the Mercy Seat, and THREE HUNDRED AND FORTY have sought the blessing of Full Salvation.

The attendances at these public show a very satisfactory increase on the corresponding months of the previous year. In addition to the Meetings in our no less than one hundred and sixty evenings were held, and in this way many people were reached. Open-air meetings, an important factor, as is to be seen, have been held, and in the month of March an increase of seven hundred and ninety compared with last year. Then the visit of Officers shows an advance of two hundred and thirty-three, which added to the effort.

Twenty-five Candidates for Officers of the most satisfactory results, and no less than thirteen Corps, are reported to have others in the near future. The Home League membership has increased by forty-two, and the attendance by four hundred and fifty copies weekly same period.

During the month of March eighty Soldiers were enrolled, also thirty-five. In addition, other converts made into Recruits, who will be on course.

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## CAPE BRETON DIVISION

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# The Win One Campaign

Reports of God Glorifying Effort Resulting in Hundreds of Captures  
—Increased and Sustained Effort—Greatly Improved Audiences  
LARGE NUMBERS OF NEW SOLDIERS ENROLLED—COMMUNITIES STIRRED—ADVANCEMENT IN ALL DEPARTMENTS OF SERVICE

## HAMILTON DIVISION

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That the Campaign has been successful cannot be denied, and while there are material gains that gratify us, there is a marked improvement in the spirit and efficiency of the Corps in general. Reorganization of various activities has been brought about as a result of the revival that has taken place amongst our own Soldiers. The Officers have worked hard and well to make the Campaign a success, and in this have been helped by the rallying of the Soldiers.

The Pentecost Form results show that not only has there been a definite plan of action, but that there has been an exercise of faith that has brought about these results. During the three months FOUR HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN people have knelt at the Mercy Seat seeking pardon, and THREE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVEN sought the blessing of the Holy Spirit.

The attendances at these public gatherings show a very satisfactory increase compared with the corresponding months of the previous year.

In addition to the Meetings in our own Halls, no less than one hundred and sixty cottage meetings were held, and in this way numbers of new people were reached. Open-air lighting was undoubtedly an important factor, as is evidenced by an increase of seven hundred and ninety-five compared with last year. Then the visitation of the Officers shows an advance of two hundred and seventy-three hours, which added to the success of the effort.

Twenty-five Candidates for Officership is one of the most satisfactory results, and in this total no less than thirteen Corps are represented, and there may be others in the near future. The Home League membership has increased by forty-two, and the attendance by eighty per week. The "War Cry" circulation has increased by four hundred and fifty copies weekly during the same period.

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It is also very noticeable that the converts show up well at the open-air and week-night

Meetings, thus setting a good example to many older comrades.

One Officer said recently, "Our Soldiers' Meeting last week was the best Meeting I've been in since we came here. It was really like Heaven on earth." Some of the new comrades said, "How can the rest of the Soldiers stay away from such Meetings as these?"

We are believing that our Officers and Soldiers will make it an all-the-year-campaign for souls and Soldiers.

## ST. JOHN DIVISION

Major William Burrows

THERE was something of an inspirational character in the name chosen for the recent revival campaign—it placed an objective before each Officer and Soldier—not a large one, 'tis true, but something worth while. To estimate the value of a human soul is beyond the possibility of the finite appraiser. To win one soul, however, would set the joy bells ringing in the Celestial City and far outweigh the self-sacrifice and manifold difficulties encountered enroute to the desired goal.

With this in mind therefore, the Officers of the Division assembled their enrolled warriors and recruits and delivered such fiery addresses prefaced by warlike songs and prayer, that over two hundred pledged themselves to win one soul. This was an encouraging response to the Officers' appeal, and the genesis of enthusiastic activities on the part of the rank and file.

Indoor and open-air engagements, cottage

## HALIFAX DIVISION

Major Thomas A. Burton

Indoor Meetings conducted	1478
Cottage Meetings held	75
Seekers for Salvation	441
Seekers for Holiness	106
Candidates Applied	220
Covenant Cards Signed	95
Senior Soldiers Enrolled	85

The Campaign was taken up very earnestly by Officers and Soldiers and proved of much benefit to the Division.

meetings, village bombardments, personal dealing, visitation, etc. were set in motion, resulting in excellent revival work, and the "first-fruits" of a splendid harvest were early recorded by the rejoicing Comrades. Shouts of victory punctuated the forward march as one after another, from the ranks of sin, deliberately surrendered to the demands of the Holy Spirit, until THREE HUNDRED AND TWELVE souls were registered for Salvation and TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN for Sanctification.

A few wonderful cases are singled out among those reported, one of whom was a helpless drunkard of many, many years, and a desperate character indeed. Another, a man who has attended our Meetings for over fifteen years without giving his heart to God. Others, coming in long distances from the country and catching the revival flame, returned to their homes only to bring others of their household and neighbors, and personally assist them to the Fountain for Cleansing—and the end is not yet!

One little girl of about nine summers, cried out for joy as she saw kneeling at the Penitent Form a man whom she recognized to be her father, and for whom she had been praying. "Oh, it's Daddy! It's Daddy!" she cried, as the tears of gladness ran down her little cheeks.

The Comrades who signed the Covenant endured some cross-battle, and encountered certain difficulties in win one soul for God, felt amply repaid as this dear father left his old associates, and the devil, and noticed this child filled with

gladness at the thought of having a loving Christian father.

Already thirty-seven of those who surrendered have joined their warrior comrades under The Salvation Army flag.

We all thank God for the privilege of making a special attack upon the strongholds of the devil, and feel the better for the red-hot engagements we have had.—W.H.B.

## NORTH BAY DIVISION

Major Fred Knight

OUR hearts are full of gratitude to God for His blessing in the WIN ONE Campaign.

Our Officers and Comrades entered into it with all their hearts, many of them communing with God to win one soul, and truly He has blessed their efforts. In spite of cold and snow, the work went forward. Souls were saved through our Open-air efforts, many such Meetings being held with the thermometer twenty and thirty degrees below zero; but these sturdy northerners scarcely ever complain of the cold or let it hinder their active service for the Master. During the Campaign ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE souls sought Salvation and SIXTY-TWO the Blessing of a Clean Heart.

It required holy living, prayer and personal dealing to produce such gratifying results; but we give all the glory to God.

North Bay, our Corps at the centre, led the way with forty for Salvation, sixteen for Holiness, and two likely Candidates. Sault Ste. Marie L. came next, with thirty for Salvation and eleven seeking Holiness, besides a decided increase in the Y. P. Corps. Sault Ste. Marie I. recorded eighteen for Salvation and ten for Holiness.

Huntsville followed closely, having seventeen for Salvation and six for Holiness. The Second Blessing, Braebridge and Timmins each recorded sixteen seekers, the last-named securing a very promising Candidate. Gravenhurst rejoiced over fifteen for Salvation and seven for Holiness; also enrolling five Soldiers under the Flag. Cochrane, our most northerly Corps, reports twelve captures and one for the Higher Life. Chaplain rejoiced over seven for Salvation and one for Holiness. Sudbury, noted for its great copper mines, had four seeking Salvation, four Consecrations, and one Candidate, who is rendering splendid service to God and The Army. Parry Sound, New Liskeard and Cobalt, each recorded two for Salvation and two for Cleansing. Haliburton!

Only those who labor in the North have any idea of the difficulties. In many towns there is quite a floating population, and sinners saved on Sunday often leave for other parts on Monday. In many cases, however, they have sent back word of victory; some from the East and others from the West. Soldier-making under these circumstances is something of a problem, yet nineteen have been sworn-in under the Colors.

A special feature in many of our Corps was the Cottage Meetings, and thus were blessings brought to scores of people who were unable to attend any place of worship. So for every precious soul won for Him, whether in our buildings, Open-air or Cottage Meetings, we are one and all rejoicing, and know there was also joy in the presence of the angels of God.

A word must be added regarding the Young People's Campaign, this resulting in the conversion of sixty-two Juniors. Who can tell what they may accomplish in coming days in service for the Master? May the seed sown in their young hearts spring up and bring forth much fruit to the glory of God.

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III.

CHARLES SOWTON,  
Commissioner.

### "OFFER THY GIFT"

THE Salvation Army's Week of  
Gifts is at hand! A week  
great in opportunity—imper-  
ative in duty—sanctified in sacrifice!  
That comrades throughout the  
Territory are working and praying  
for the success of the Effort we are  
sure. They cannot possibly spread  
their nets too widely, dredge their  
districts too thoroughly, urge The  
Army's necessities and the priv-  
ilege of giving towards God's  
work too insistently. Bold and be-  
lieving must be their plans and  
visitation and appeals.

There is, however, a more per-  
sonal aspect still of this wonderful  
Effort. Upon it must depend the  
measure both of blessing and tri-  
umph which are secured for the  
coming week. That aspect is the  
individual Self-Denial of every  
Salvationist. No matter how faith-  
fully he may work or how large  
the amount he may collect, with-  
out the inspiring example of his  
own felt sacrifice, the tangible evi-  
dence of his own gratitude, he must  
be written a failure! And to that  
extent, likewise, must the whole  
Effort suffer. Earnestly and loving-  
ly would we urge our comrades to  
bear this in mind as they enter up-  
on The Army's week of weeks.

While Salvationists in Canada  
have never been behind in gener-  
ous contributions to the sacred  
cause to which their lives are con-  
secrated, we feel that at this period  
of peculiar need, as well as of un-  
precedented and glorious oppor-  
tunities for the saving of the world,  
they will be ardently one with our  
Commissioner in bringing about a  
memorable and victorious Self-  
Denial. This, as we have said, will  
be immensely influenced by that  
"little bit extra" of personal sacri-  
fice for the Lord's treasury which  
will be revealed in our Altar Ser-  
vices.

## OUR TERRITORIAL LEADERS

### CONDUCT BUSY WEEK-END CAMPAIGN AT KINGSTON

THE COMMISSIONER Leads Memorable Service at the  
Penitentiary, While Mrs. Sowton Thrills Large Audience  
With Missionary Lecture, Presided over by Brigadier-  
General A. E. Ross, M.P.

DELIGHTFULLY varied and up-  
lifting was the Campaign led  
by Commissioner and Mrs. Sow-  
ton in Kingston during the week-end  
of April 28th and 29th. Each Meet-  
ing stands forth as a season in which  
the presence of God was gloriously  
felt, and as a result our must an-  
ticipate a more aggressive and  
definite work in the lime-stone city.

No one should conclude by this  
remark that a keen perception of  
what a Salvationist should do or he  
is not already manifested. Far from  
it, as the impression gained by a  
visit to Kingston is that the Band  
(Bandmaster Otton), the Songster  
Bridget (Leader Fraser), Young  
People's Sergeant-Major Hunter and  
his workers, Sergeant-Major Wood-  
cock and the Soldiers, under the able  
direction of Ensign and Mrs. Doshier  
all delight to share in a joyful ser-  
vice and revel in a battle for souls.

At the Penitentiary  
Outstanding, because of the special  
opportunity to do good, was the  
Meeting in the Kingston Penitentiary  
on Sunday afternoon. To see well  
over six hundred men, of all voca-  
tions, varied in dispositions and  
characters, serving short and long  
terms, is a sight that rivets itself  
on one's mind. What blighted hopes  
were represented! What tears have  
been shed by mothers, father, and  
even the prisoners themselves, be-  
cause of waywardness and sin; a  
departure from, in many cases, early  
training and parental love. The men  
are now rocking the whirlwind and  
are harvesting months and years of  
confinement behind prison walls, as  
a result of lawlessness. The sight  
left an indelible impression, moving  
one's heart, and the only comfort  
that possesses the visitor is that  
Jesus Christ can regenerate and  
make over the penitent prisoner.

With this goal in view the Bands  
men played and sang in dead earnest  
and as the cadences of old familiar  
hymns died away in the lofty rafters  
of the well-proportioned chapel we  
dared to believe fruit would be the  
result of the telling ministrations.

Lieut. Colonel Adby sang twice  
and more apt students in the matter  
of memorising words and tunes  
would be hard to find. Truly the  
prisoners were experiencing shadows  
in the valley, but "to cross the line"  
will mean sunshine on the hill. He  
with the 'Cry' representative, spoke  
of God's undying love and the need  
of decision.

Commissioner Sowton appeared  
strongly moved as he delivered a  
soul-grasping address. He did not  
hide the knowledge that they had  
entered upon the wrong path, but  
with tenderness of utterance he  
urged them to return to the cross-  
roads and commence, by God's help  
to walk the road that leads to  
Heaven.

The sternest visage became  
weathered in hopefulness, the most  
careless brow was lined with thought-  
fulness, and even eyes became moist  
with tears as our Leader pictured a  
bright horizon for every penitent  
heart.

Warden Ponsford and Deputy  
Warden Tucker were cordial to the visi-  
tors and, in summing up the Meeting,  
the Deputy referred to it as "really  
splendid." Three Salvationists are

employed in the Penitentiary, one of  
whom is Bandmaster Otton who di-  
rects the choir and orchestra.

At the same hour, in the Citadel,  
Mrs. Commissioner Sowton gave a  
lecture on a missionary journey to  
the borders of Tibet. Brigadier Gen-  
eral A. E. Ross, M.P., presided, and in  
warm terms congratulated The Army  
upon its effective work in all corners  
of the earth. He referred to happy  
associations with The Army in  
prison work, and then stated, "Every  
time I come to The Army Hall, or  
meet any of its members, my heart  
becomes warmer because of the self-  
sacrifice and noble work."

As Mrs. Sowton glimpsed the  
heroic deeds of Salvation Army  
Missionaries, and the thrilling ex-  
periences of those who labor in re-  
mote parts of India, it became evi-  
dent that her hearers not only ad-  
mired the storied service of those  
who are found in the front-line  
trenches of missionary endeavor, but  
the call for others to share in the  
fight became incessant.

In the Saturday night, Sunday  
morning, and night Meetings, our  
Leaders had sustained freedom. They  
both made slashing attacks upon the  
entrenched positions which the  
enemy of souls had taken up in the  
hearts of his dupes, with effect  
which, by the mighty and convicting  
power of the Holy Ghost, became  
more and more marked as the Cam-  
paign proceeded. In addition to ten  
seekers being registered at the Mercy  
Seat, many people testified to having  
received a New Touch.

In addressing the Soldiers the  
words of Commissioner and Mrs.  
Sowton created desires for a richer,  
deeper, and fuller experience. The  
possibility of bearing God-pleasing  
fruit was set forth in convincing  
terms, while the urgency of family  
worship, and a giving of time and  
talents echoed forth as imperatives  
to success.

Freedom in testimony, during the  
week-end, brought its own special  
blessing. Band Sergeant Bessant  
declared himself the happiest man  
in Kingston. Sister Mrs. Pollitt, the  
oldest Soldier of the Corps, spoke of  
her inward joy and a comradeship  
following a long season of sickness,  
paid tribute to God's lovingkindness.

Delegates from Outpost  
Lieutenant Kingston, who assists  
at Kingston, is directing the forces  
at Odessa, the Outpost. He was  
present on Sunday night with twelve  
of his Soldiers, while Captain Thom-  
as and Lieutenant Miller, with a  
number of Napanee Soldiers, shared  
in the Campaign on Saturday night.

Colonel Martin, Lieut. Colonel Adby,  
Ensign and Mrs. Boshier were  
valuable helpers. In introducing  
Commissioner and Mrs. Sowton the  
Divisional Commander proved him-  
self a past-master, while Lieut. Col-  
onel Adby's vocal efforts and Prayer  
Meeting leadership, were of the per-  
suaasive type. Brother and Sister  
Fraser are holding profitable Meet-  
ings each Sunday morning at the  
Home of Industry. Treasurer Pick-  
ering and Secretary Goodridge not only  
count the alms and bills, but are  
energetic in soul-saving work, and  
the Songster Leader boasts of thir-  
teen Songsters as Field Officers in  
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more, of the instruments re-  
quired. If so, we bring the  
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"In view of the fact that we are right on the threshold of the Effort," he continued, "I would like to emphasize one or two matters."

"It must be admitted that our calculations are based upon the assumption that all concerned will do their best, and in this connection I would like to put on record my personal gratitude for all that has thus far been done in the line of Salvation Army work in this Territory; for the widespread effort now being made, and also for the abounding evidence of the possession of that glad spirit that transforms difficult tasks into joyful activities for our Lord and Master. The definite indication of vital spiritual life throughout the Command is an abiding source of inspiration to Mrs. Sowton and myself."

"This great Self-Denial Effort provides us with an opportunity to again display our love for others. Let us enter upon it with memorable zest, and the will to achieve victory in the name of Him Whom we serve."

"To us are committed vast issues. An eminent statesman once made use of these words in relation to the interests of the British Empire. They may well be applied to Salvationists in the matter of our great Self-Denial Effort. Seeing that great things are expected, I desire to remind you that associated with this effort there must be a strong spirit of Enthusiasm. Enthusiasm has planted our Flag in all parts of the world in an

possibility, and if every Soldier kept this ideal in mind, and gave up to the limit of ability, this splendid goal would be reached. Some folks have advocated that we should introduce a Senior Saving League, similar in essence to the Young People's Saving League, which has met with such success. Just whether or not this may be tried out in the future, is at present veiled. But—remembering God's goodness to you, and the acute need

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of those less well situated than you are—give until it hurts!

"Then, in addition to giving, let there be what I term maximum getting. Make it possible for others to enjoy the luxury of personal giving. And that cogent reason why all should help us in our great undertaking may be produced, let all who solicit on our behalf be fully posted with information relative to Salvation Army service and needs. Comrades throughout the Territory will have carefully perused the Self-Denial issue of 'The War Cry,' which was brimful of information; half of which should be sufficient to induce folk who have never yet subscribed to our funds to make amends for their past parsimony by opening their pockets wide and extricating therefrom substantial donations towards this Effort."

"It is especially important that Comrades should study facts and figures relative to The Army's operations throughout the world and thus be ready and able to meet and satisfy the most sceptical of mortals. Let the fact that many branches of Salvation Army activity cannot be self-supporting—be fully stressed. The helpless will always call for the gift of service and money, and our many devoted, consecrated Officers engaged in our uplifting work are giving service and are giving it splendidly, skillfully and joyfully."

"Let collectors get into personal touch with the donors. I am more than ever impressed that when people know just what we are doing, they are prepared to aid us. There is still, however, a great deal of ignorance prevalent concerning our aims and the widespread character and high quality of our work. A leading business man, in one of the principal cities of the Dominion, in a conversation which I recently had with him, said: 'People generally do not know the extent of the work of The Salvation Army. They know that it is doing good, but are unacquainted with the details and far-reaching scope of its activities. Did they know more, more help would be forthcoming.' This gentleman uttered a truism. Let there be a recognition of this fact, and a determination to make known to all the wonderful character of the work which is being done in the name of Christ and under our glorious Banner."

"It is sometimes difficult to reach people who reside 'off the beaten track,' but where there's a will, there's a way, and there are many people who own autos, who would be delighted to make it possible for people outside of the usual circle lapped, to be solicited on behalf of our work. Much money is waiting to be picked up and placed into channels of helpfulness, and much blessing is being denied to those who, while willing, are not privileged to

BROADCAST WHAT THE ARMY IS DOING, AND THE PEOPLE WILL GIVE

support a work so pleasing to God and helpful to man. Keep such would-be givers in mind, and reach them!

"Let all that is done, be done in the spirit of consistent and believing prayer. The opportunities associated with the conducting of this great Effort were never greater than they are at present. The sympathy of the outside public is with us. The varying character of our operations is being increasingly recognised, and we have only to work energetically to gain a magnificent victory."

Sail Self-Denial ship safely  
Employ every energy eagerly  
Label laziness largely  
Face formidable foes fearlessly.

Decline dainty dishes  
Early effort is effective  
Negotiate nasty nooks nicely  
Impart, instruct, insist  
Address appeals assiduously  
Love lightens labor.

incredibly short period of time; it has led our Organisation to dredge the lowest depths and to rescue the most hopeless and despairing. My Comrades, let us enthuse! For our own sakes—yes, but much more so for the sake of others! Imagine the effect on those who come in touch with a fully charged Comrade. They are almost bound to catch the spirit, and to spread it in their own particular circle. Let there be an epidemic of Self-Denial zeal which will break out in every Corps and spread through every neighborhood. Let enthusiasm be based on a solid foundation. Nothing should be left to chance. Scheme and invent, in addition to scrupulously carrying out all the instructions received from Headquarters, for these latter are based on long experience.

"Then I am particularly led to stress what I term the luxury of personal giving. All too few people realize the joy which floods the soul when giving until it hurts is indulged in. In the very hurt is the vital germ of happiness. God is never a debtor! He has a way of rewarding which exceeds the ways of man. I suggest that particular attention be paid to this specific side of the effort. Let every Soldier get the true measure of his or her giving. Experience goes to show that lots of folks think they give more than is actually the case. This is because of spasmodic or unsystematic giving. I am a strong advocate of titling—the setting apart of a definite portion of the income for the support of God's work."

"It may not be out of place for 'The War Cry' to make known a Territorial Self-Denial Ideal—the meeting of Canada East's grant towards the Missionary Operations of The Salvation Army from the gifts of our Soldiers. How immensely gratifying this would be. How stimulating would be the knowledge. It is within the range of



## DISPATCHES WHICH TELL OF SERVICE AND SALVATION THROUGHOUT CANADA EAST

**Full of Hope**  
ELLISTON, Nfld. (Lionel N. Reader).—We have just launched the Self-Denial effort, and hope to reach our target. We have six recruits awaiting enlistment as soldiers. We are glad to report that Sister Mrs. Porter has now recovered sufficiently from her recent severe illness to again resume her duties as President of the Self-Denial League.

### Twelve Surrenders

MONTREAL (Captain and Mrs. Frank).—The true spirit of Easter was very much in evidence last week-end, and the results obtained were the outcome of the wholehearted support which all concerned gave to the visiting specialists, Staff-Captain and Mrs. Clayton.

Even if we were to measure up the outcome of the week-end's efforts by the tangible results seen (EDDIE for Salvation and FORK for consecration), it would be splendid, but even from this, all connected with the Corps were mightily helped, blessed and inspired by the Staff-Captain's words.

After the welcoming on Saturday evening, we met very early on Sunday morning and had a session of prayer. The usual morning march was carried out. Various institutions and hospitals were visited on route and musical offertory and prayer offered on behalf of the inmates.

In the Holiness Meeting, to an audience that taxed the capacity of the Hall, the Staff-Captain gave a well-conceived talk. Following a rousing Open-air in the afternoon, we returned to the Hall, where ten recruits were sworn in as Soldiers.

A splendid and very attentive audience attended the final Meeting of the day. Mrs. Clayton spoke of the happiness derived from a life lived in the service and pleaded with the unconverted to make their peace with God. The Singers' testimony song, "Jesus, Thou art everything to me," and the Lord's selection, "One Sinful Heart," helped to pave the way for the final message. Adjutant and Mrs. Frank, greatly assisted, and Mrs. Colonel Jacobs and Brigadier MacMillan were also present.

At a final Open-air, a magnificent series of gathering, a Musical Program was given on Monday night by the Point St. Charles and Church Songster Brigades.

### Home League Meeting

WEST TORONTO (Adjutant and Mrs. Clayton).—A very successful Home League Meeting was held on Monday, April 18th, when Mrs. Commissioner Banks spoke on "The Duties and Privileges of Mothers." Mrs. Colonel Dowley and Mrs. Brigadier Walton were also up.

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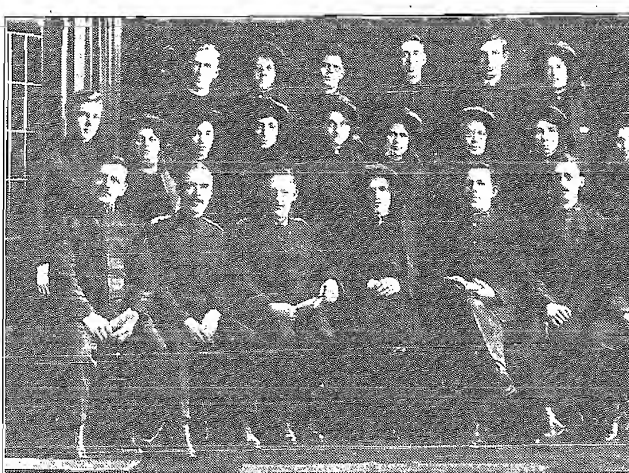
### Wedding Bells Peal

TORONTO (L. Adjutant and Mrs. Johnson).—On Wednesday night, April 14th, in the Toronto L. Citadel, Bandman Grimshaw and Sergeant Rink were united in marriage. By Lieut.-Colonel Addy, The Songsters sang "The Flag" and the Colonel read the Scriptures. Just before the ceremony was performed the Songsters sang again, "March the Flag." The bride was escorted by the Band. Sergeant Major Miller, of Tanager Street Corps, acted as the best man, and a Sister from the Portland Corps spoke for the bride. Both Comrades testified.

**Y. F. Aggregations Commence**  
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unto Life," was given by the Songster Brigade on Friday evening. On Sunday afternoon the Divisional Commander commissioned the newly-formed "Dogs' Band," under the leadership of Bandmaster Leonard. They were creditably registered 120 items. The Young People's Singing Company was also commissioned and sang two items. A powerful Salvation address was given by Mrs. Hargrave at night, and at the close of a desperate fight for souls, there were THIRTY saved.

### United for Service

HUNTSVILLE (Captain and Mrs. Doud).—On April 9th, Major Knight presided at the wedding of Sister Ward (formerly of Woodward, Toronto) and Brother Wm. Stinson. Mrs. Captain Band sang, "My Lord and I," after which Major Knight introduced two Comrades in holy matrimony. Following the ceremony a divine service was partaken of by the friends of the happy couple. Captain and Mrs. Doud spoke words of contribution and prayed the blessing of God on the union.

### Enthusiastic S.-D. Committee

SHERBROOKE (Captain and Mrs. Martin).—Colonel and Mrs. Martin visited the Corps on Saturday and Sunday, April 12th and 13th, and conducted a busy series of meetings. A blessed time was spent in the Holiness Meeting on Sunday morning, with a very good attendance.

The Colonel delivered his interesting lecture on Sunday afternoon in the A. Hall, which was presided over by Mr. Geo. L. McKinnon, the subject of the lecture being, "With The Salvation Army Flag on the Continent of Europe." At this Meeting Mr. E. J. Page was introduced as the Chairman of the Business Men's Committee for the Sherbrooke City Campaign for the approaching Self-Denial effort. An enthusiastic Committee of five canvassers has been secured for the Campaign. The prospects of reaching our target, both very bright. A Salvation Meeting was conducted by the Colonel and Mrs. Martin in the Citadel at night and two surrendered.

### Notable Advances Made

STRATFORD (Adjutant and Mrs. White).—The WIN ONE Campaign, about 1915-1919, came to the Mercy Seat for Salvation and consecration. Nineteen Soldiers and eleven ladies have been enrolled, Scout and Guard Troops have made increases, and the Home League is very active.

The Band also is in a fine condition, and since the commencement of the Campaign seven new Bandmen have been welcomed from the Old Country.

The largest of all advances has been in the Company Meeting. Forty new soldiers have been added and the attendance has been as high as two hundred and twenty-nine on a Sunday afternoon. The average attendance at the Young Soldiers' have been increased. The Self-Denial Saving League is one-third higher than last year.

### An Indian Soul-Saver

CAMPBELLTON, N.B. (Captain and Mrs. White).—A beautiful and solemn service entitled, "The Betrayer to the Cross," was given by the Young People of the Corps on Good Friday evening. A very large crowd was present.

Sunday's services were conducted by the Ensign.

An Indian led another Indian to the Cross on Sunday night.

### Y. P. Band's Strenuous Week-end

NEWMARKET (Captain and Mrs. Clayton).—On Sunday, April 10th, we were favored with a visit from Staff-Captain Best. The services were greatly enjoyed by all who attended. In the Holiness Meeting, the Staff-Captain explained the conditions of obtaining Holiness in a very straightforward manner. The topic for the Sabbath Meeting was "Backsliding."

Easter week-end will long be remembered by the people of Newmarket and the surrounding district. The Young People's Band, composed of twenty-one members, accompanied by Staff-Captain McIntyre, took part in these meetings, and they deserve great credit.

Band went to Stratford and held Open-air Meetings which were much enjoyed by the crowd. At night a Musical and Praise service was given in the town of the Methodist Church, where another large crowd listened delightedly.

Sunday, all day, the Band was at the home. After two rousing Open-air services in the morning, a bright Holiness Meeting was conducted by the Staff-Captain.

The afternoon was a busy one, commencing with a short Musical service in the United People's Home, then journeying to Holland Landing, where a good number of people came to hear the music. At Bradford the band was welcomed to the doors. The Band kept up its reputation, and left impressions for good with the people of this town, many expressing their delight at the splendid program rendered.

At night, after an Open-air on the main street, a Salvation Meeting was held in the Palace Theatre. Nearly two hundred people were present, and the Staff-Captain delivered a real Salvation address, urging the unconverted to come to some definite decision.

During the last chapter of the day's activities, over five hundred people gathered to enjoy a magnificent program and were not disappointed. The Band left no stone unturned to give the people something to remember. Considering the strenuous week-end, the young people kept up the pace well. Bandmaster W. Taylor deserves great praise for his untiring efforts to bring the Gospel message to the people in music and song. The business men of the town kindly loaned the cars. Attention must be paid of the good work done by Songsters Grace Gough and Beatrice Bovey. Both were great help, and their service was highly appreciated.

### Record Open-air

LIPPINCOTT (Captain and Mrs. Clay).—The Easter Services were conducted by Staff-Captain and Mrs. Thompson, and we enjoyed a blessed Sabbath.

In the afternoon the Staff-Captain dedicated the new building. Brother and Mrs. French, also the child of Sister Mrs. Lywood.

The Comrades turned out in a goodly number to all the Meetings. There were fifty-two at the Sunday evening Open-air, which was a record for some time.

ONE young lad volunteered to the Mercy Seat at night.

## Coming Events

### COMMISSIONER MRS. SOWTON

Oshawa—Sun., May 11th.  
Warkerville—Wed., May 11th.  
Windsor—Thurs., May 12th.  
(Union of Nurses).

Earls Court—Sun., May 18th.  
Gravenhurst—Tues., May 18th.  
Bracebridge—Wed., May 18th.  
Huntsville—Thurs., May 19th.

North Bay—Fri., May 23rd.  
Timmins—Sun., May 25th.  
New Liskeard—Mon., May 25th.

Halleybury—Tues., May 26th.  
Cobalt—Wed., May 28th.  
North Bay—Thurs., May 28th.

Sault Ste. Marie—Sat., May 28th.  
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Sudbury—Mon., June 2nd.

Lieut.-Colonel Adhy will arrive.

LIEUT.-COLONEL HARGREAVE  
Galt, Sat.-Sun., May 10-11th.  
Don II., Sat.-Sun., May 10-11th.  
2-26th; St. Catharines.

May 11st, June 1st; Brantford, June 5th.

LIEUT.-COLONEL MILLER  
Galt, Sat.-Sun., May 10-11th.

BRIGADIER MOORE: Oshawa, Sun., May 10-11th; Rhodes, Sun., May 25th.

BRIGADIER WALTON: Oshawa, Sun., May 11th; Earlscourt, May 18th; Bradford, Sun., May 18th.

MAJOR BYERS: Stratford, Sun., May 10-11th; Rhodes, Sun., May 25th.

MAJOR LAYMAN: Renfrew, Sun.-Mon., May 10-11th; Sat.-Sun., May 11-12th; Carlton Place, Sat.-Sun., May 11-12th.

MAJOR TAYLOR: Windsor, Sun., May 17-18th; Kingston, Sun., May 21st-June 1st.

STAFF-CAPTAIN MACDONALD: New Sydney, Sat.-Sun., May 11th; New Aberdeen, Sat.-Sun., May 11th.

Mrs. MacDonald will accept the position of Staff-Captain.

STAFF-CAPTAIN BEST: Lippincott, Sun., May 11th; Aurora, Sat.-Sun., May 11-12th; Bradford, Sun., May 11th.

STAFF-CAPTAIN CAMERON: Lippincott, Sat.-Sun., May 10-11th; Parliament Street, Sun., May 10th.

STAFF-CAPTAIN LEWIS: Stratford, Sun., May 10-11th.

MRS. STAFF-CAPTAIN MORTIMER: Galt, Sun., May 10-11th.

STAFF-CAPTAIN THOMPSON: Galt, Sun., May 10-11th.

### Band Forging Ahead

CODRUG (Captain and Mrs. Clayton).—A special service was given in a special way during the week-end. Brother and Sister from Brantford, who were with us, were much helped by the staff. We gathered together over 2500 at the Mercy Seat on Sunday and 1000 on Monday night.

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## SONG OF THE WEEK

Tune—"Oh, wash me now." 12: "Rocked in the cradle." 14. Song-book, 31  
Behold Me standing at the door,  
And hear Me pleading evermore:  
With gentle voice: Oh, heart of sin,  
May I come in, may I come in?

## Chorus

Behold Me standing at the door!  
And hear Me pleading evermore:  
Say, weary heart, oppress with sin,  
May I come in, may I come in?

## Second Chorus

O Calvary, dark Calvary,  
Where Jesus shed His blood for me!  
O Calvary, dark Calvary,  
Speak to my heart from Calvary.

I bore the cruel thorns for thee,  
I waited long and patiently:  
Say, weary heart, oppress with sin,  
May I come in, may I come in?

I would not plead with thee in vain:  
Remember all my grief and pain!  
I died to ransom thee from sin;  
May I come in, may I come in?

I bring thee joy from heaven above,  
I bring thee pardon, peace, and love:  
Say, weary heart, oppress with sin,  
May I come in, may I come in?

## HAPPINESS UNMIXED—AND FOREVER

ETERNITY means for the saint of God, eternal happiness. Unmixed happiness is unknown in this world. We may be shouting happy in the morning and in heaven through temptations in the afternoon. We are blessed, but death enters our homes and sorrow crosses our path. The flowers of earth are accompanied by thorns of disappointment and sadness. But we are promised a change. The saints of all ages shall meet at the gates of pearl. The twelve gates are going to swing wide open, and the blood-washed company shall march down the golden streets of the New Jerusalem to the public square, while angels on one side and the other shall sing our welcome home.

Says one, "Holy, holy, is what the angels sing and I expect to help make the courts of heaven ring; but when I sing redemption's story, they will fold their wings, for angels never felt the joy that our Salvation brings."

We shall be introduced to the Father, and shall dwell with the eternal Son and be ministered unto by the Holy Ghost, waited upon by the myriads of angels. God shall wipe away ALL tears from our eyes, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

Are you giving up or looking up?

Duty makes us do things well, but love makes us do them beautifully.

## IN TIME OF NEED

Better than I  
Thou knowest, Lord,  
All my necessity  
And with a word  
Thou canst it all supply.  
Help either there is none  
Save Thee alone:  
Without Thee I'm undone.  
And so to Thee I cry—  
O, be Thou right  
For, better than I  
Thou knowest, Lord,  
All my necessity.

JOHN OXENHAM.

# THE CHIEF SECRETARY

## Heartily Welcomed to Peterboro

### BUSY WEEK-END—MEMORABLE ITEMS—FOUR SEEKERS

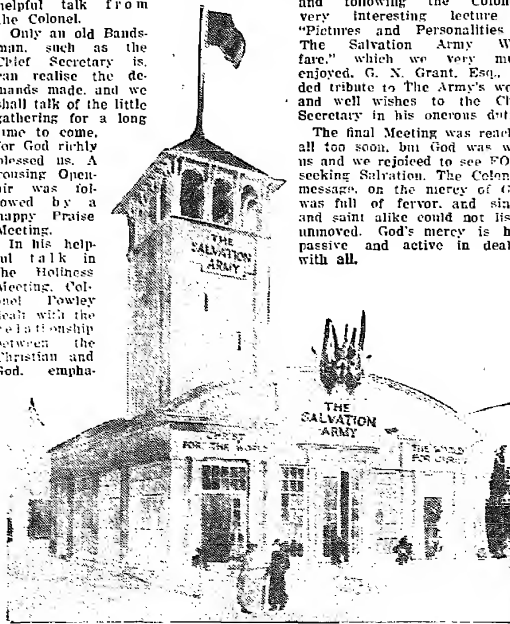
LAST week-end we were privileged to have the Chief Secretary, Colonel Powley, with us, and we heartily welcomed him to the Electric City. The Band met the train on Saturday evening and marched to the Temple, where it was our privilege to entertain our guest, Brigadier Moore, Divisional Commander, and Adjutant Wilson who accompanied him. Various representatives spoke preceding a very helpful talk from the Colonel.

Only an old Bandsman, such as the Chief Secretary is, can realize the demands made and we shall talk of the little gathering for a long time to come, for God richly blessed us. A rousing Open-air service was followed by a happy Praise Meeting.

In his helpful talk in the Holiness Meeting, Colonel Powley dealt with the relationship between the Christian and God, emphasizing the necessity of harmony and unity in all things as essential to service. Truly it was a session of blessing.

It was indeed a privilege for all who were present at the afternoon Meeting to participate in the official welcome that His Worship Mayor J. Turner, supported by G. N. Gordon, Esq., K.C., M.P., Deputy Speaker of the Dominion Parliament, and Alderman Crowe, Chairman of the City Reception Committee, extended to the Chief Secretary. His Worship in a few words very cordially voiced the City Council's heartiest welcome, and following the Colonel's very interesting lecture on "Pictures and Personalities of The Salvation Army Warfare," which we very much enjoyed, G. N. Grant, Esq., added tribute to The Army's work, and well wishes to the Chief Secretary in his onerous duties.

The final Meeting was reached all too soon, but God was with us and we rejoiced to see FOUR seeking Salvation. The Colonel's message on the mercy of God, was full of fervor and sincerity and saint alike could not listen unmoved. God's mercy is both passive and active in dealing with all.



The Salvation Army's Building at The British Empire Exhibition, Wembley, England

mention must be made of the short talks during the week-end by Adjutant Wilson, also the valuable help of Brigadier Moore.

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## OUR ACADEMY OF WORTHIES:

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and when she realized that she was thus assisting to spread the Gospel it became easier.

Thirty-seven years ago she felt the call of Christ and became a candidate. As a young Captain she was present at some great Meetings conducted by the old General at Plymouth, England. The Divisional Commander requested her to tell which she did but with much trembling. Whilst the church was being sung she dear old General placed his hand on her ship.

shoulder and said, "It's all right my dear, try to forget that I am here."

His death necessitated our Comrade's retirement from active service and after marriage she, with her husband, removed to this country. For eleven years Mrs. Weston has been the Corps Cadet Guardian at London 11. In the last five years fourteen of her charges have become Officers. The Brigade numbers twelve at the present time, and three of them have applied for Candidates.

## SENTENCE SERMONS

Follow the Lord wholly, and goodness and mercy will follow you.

The time is short! Satan knows it. He is tremendously active.

Sin, not poverty, is the cause of this world's misery.

The first step to general revival is personal revival.

## The Personal Touch

KINGSVILLE (Ensign Bird, Captain Hart).—We continue to have good Meetings here. On Sunday, April 6th, we had with us, Captain Lewis, the former Mayor of Windsor. A good spirit prevailed all day. At night, a brother volunteered for the Master. One of the Comrades had gotten in touch with this man through the selling of "The War Cry," learned that it was a Methodist, invited him to the Meeting, and now he is doing well.

## Eggs as Easter Offering

LONDON 11. (Ensign and Mrs. Foster).—A glorious Easter week-end, conducted by Staff-Captain Lewis of Territorial Headquarters, resulted in EIGHT seekers. On Sunday morning the Band played appropriate Easter music around the district. The afternoon Meeting, following an impressive Holiness service, was given over entirely to the Young People, and the words of the Staff-Captain, who was assisted by Adjutant Hildebrand, were very encouraging. One hundred and seventy-six eggs were received. These were given to the different Children's Homes of the city. The Salvation Meeting at night was particularly inspiring and fruitful. On Monday, from 2.30 to 4.30 p.m., a banquet was given. The Band played a program, and in singing, a large crowd was present. Staff-Captain Lewis presided.

## Gracious Influence Felt

WEST TORONTO (Adjutant and Mrs. Candler).—Many were blessed as soon as they experienced here since our last report. The visit of Staff-Captain and Mrs. Burton was an exceedingly profitable one. In the morning, a large congregation, with THREE seekers at the Holiness Meeting.

Last Sunday was another "day of victory." Especially was the night Meeting marked by the presence of a large number of seekers, with EIGHT seekers at the Mercy Seat.

Enrollment Under the Tri-Color WINDSOR N.S. (Captain and Mrs. Rawlings).—The week-end of March 29-30th, were conducted by Staff-Captain Richards and Sister Mrs. Watson of Halifax. God's Spirit was felt in the Meetings and SIX seekers knelt at the Mercy Seat.

In the afternoon service the Hall was crowded and the Staff-Captain exhorted eleven as Soldiers under the Tri-Color.

On the week-end of April 1st-2nd, we had with us Commandant Harding and Envoy Schooner, of Halifax. Special crowds attended the Meetings during the week-end, and in the Sunday afternoon Meeting another four recruits were enrolled as Soldiers.

In the night Meeting SIX seekers knelt at the Mercy Seat, making a total of EIGHT for the week-end.

Dispersing Social Shadows BURWASH REFORMATORY (Commandant and Mrs. Sheard).—The week-end services were conducted by the Commandant and Mrs. Sheard, Chaplains of the Burwash Reformatory.

On Good Friday a service was held for the prisoners and all day of Sunday Meetings were held. The week-end was a success on this large reform, which is thousands of acres in extent.

The new of God and man, and in the Meetings and a number of men are joining the Brighter Day League. There is a earnest appeal to the children of the world, who are splendidly, and the children only their reason.

There is also a service conducted specially for the Guards and their families on Sunday evening, conducted by the Commandant and his wife.

## A Splendid Capture

STRATFORD (Adjutant and Mrs. White).—TEN conversions were registered on a recent Sunday. On Sunday, April 6th, a large crowd was present, and a large number of seekers were enrolled as Soldiers.

Gibbons and his wife, who have recently been welcomed into the Corps and Band.

## Halifax 11. Band Visits Prison

HALIFAX MEN'S SOCIAL (Commandant and Mrs. Hardman).—God's Spirit was felt in our efforts and victories during the week. Our Win One Campaign was very successful, and a good work was done among the prisoners, one of whom was his heart to God. Sunday, April 6th, the Band visited the prison and the prisoners were very much interested.

## Faith Honored

STELLARTON (Captain Pratt and Lieut. Simon).—During the week-end of April 6th to 8th, the Band was much interested in the work. On Monday the Band was in the Corps. Officers and Soldiers were enthusiastic and the great number of seekers were enrolled as Soldiers.

The following week-end, Staff-Captain Richards and Mrs. Burton led the Meeting. In the evening service, after a vigorous and joyful discourse, the Staff-Captain surrendered, making a total of three seekers for the day. With twenty-two seekers, the Band was very much interested, and secured our faith and hope.

## First Enrolment Since

PRESCOTT CORPS (Capt. Snowdon).—Easter long be remembered in Prescott, from the fact that a record Open-air service with thirteen present, and on Sunday afternoon, a speaker on "Modern Miracles" to all present that the is not past.

In the evening service, filled, and the presence of the Adjutant, the Corps was given on the Saturday night, "The Salvation Army" of Europe.

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## Drum-head Co.

SUDBURY (Captain and Mrs. God).—God came very near to us on Easter Sunday. Our Open-air service attracted large crowds.

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OPENING OF

"BURNSIDE" LODGE

IMMIGRATION HOME FOR BOYS  
STARTS ITS IMPORTANT WORK

PUBLIC CITIZENS SPEAK UPON  
THE VALUE OF THE ARMY'S  
ENDEAVORS

THE official opening of the new Salvation Army Immigration "Burnside" Lodge, Woodstock, took place recently when a gathering of Officers and Soldiers of The Army, civil and county officials met at "Burnside." Following prayer by Adjutant Dray, Brigadier Southall spoke on the immigration aspect of "The Army work." "We see there is a need, and we do our best to fill it," said the Brigadier who told of the transportation of over 100,000 people to Canada in the last twenty years, through The Salvation Army Immigration Department.

Mayor Ren, of Woodstock, chairman of the gathering, expressed thankfulness that an institution such as the "Burnside" Lodge existed as a means of helping up boys with the farming opportunities in the Dominion.

A selection from the children's Singing Company was rendered particularly well, under the direction of Brother James Evans, Leader of the Young People's Singing Company.

Colonel Jacobs outlined the methods by which boys are selected for Canadian farms, and spoke of the Health Farm Colony in England, where a short preliminary period is spent in training, examination for physical fitness, and the selection of the most likely boys made. The after-care of the boys is one of the most important phases of the work, and in the event of sickness, or any other cause, the boys have the home to go to. "A harbor from storms," was the way in which the Colonel described the home, and he also touched on the farmer's part in the success of the work, when he told of the visits of The Army inspectors, the urging of the boys to attend Sunday church services with their own parents, and the necessity of a sympathetic attitude to a newcomer in a strange land, on the part of the farmer.

Dr. J. J. Williams, of the Ontario Hospital, congratulated The Army on the magnificent work in which they are engaged. He expressed great confidence that the work would be carried to a successful finish, and touched on the most untold possibilities for boys here, brought from the Old Land, who will adapt themselves in the proper way.

Dr. Sinclair, member of Parliament for North Oxford, stated that he could not commend too highly The Salvation Army.

Warden Peterson, of Oxford County, stated that, in his opinion, The Salvation Army was the greatest support to Christian citizenship in Canada today. He mentioned that while farmers have been perhaps unjustly criticized in the past, the type of farm worker supplied had frequently been anything but satisfactory, and had been totally unlike the more hand-picked variety of men and boys now being sent from Europe. The warden's advice as a farmer to the men in charge of boys' immigration work, was to forget the money end, and to have the primary object of getting the boy in a good Christian family, where his ability and industry would certainly be rewarded.

Warden Peterson brought the greetings of Oxford County and felt that he was speaking for the County Council as a whole when he said every possible assistance would be given the Organization.

Adjutant and Mrs. Leach, Captain and Mrs. Skipworth were introduced

Thursday, July 5th, 1923. — In Christiania. The Army's Anniversary. Fifty-eight years ago today, there arose a cloud no larger than a man's hand. It has spread, is spreading, and will spread over the whole heavens. There has been, there is, and there will be much rain. Glory be to God; I have decided that in future this shall be observed as "Founder's Day."

Meeting of the Staff 11.30 to 1.30. Greatly drawn out on some things we need, which only God can supply. Visited the Training Garrison; too

LET every dawn of morning be to you as the beginning of life and every setting sun be to you as its close; then let every one of these short lives leave its sure record of some kindly thing done for others, some goodly strength or knowledge gained for yourselves.

small—must have some more land. At 1.30, to the Prison; about a hundred and fifty convicts. Director and Chaplain both very warm. Took party of Songsters with me—the first time women have been admitted to this Jail. They sang very sweetly, and I called on the Nigerian Cadet; he did well—showing, in fact, a wise discernment in speaking of what God has done for him.

I spoke for from thirty-five to forty minutes; (Pavson, Lieut. Commissioner translated, and one of the Officers read the scripture. The Meeting was held in the chapel. Many of the men seemed touched; tears may not, of course, amount to much in such circumstances, but when they are seen on the faces of hardened criminals, I think they must indicate some stirring of the better nature. I pressed for Salvation, and our daily appointed Officer will visit all who wish to see him. These prison gatherings always make me sad to the point of exaction, because I realize the utter futility of the prison system.

At the conclusion, the Director rose and thanked me with great heartiness. The men broke out in applause an unprecedented proceeding.

This Prison is run on more humane lines than many on the Continent. Four years ago I offered to give them the instruments for a Band, to be made up of prisoners, if the Government would allow it, but this instrument would allow it, but this was not accepted. I shall never be able to reconcile myself to a prison system which is merely punitive, and as to solitary confinement, I have come to hate the whole idea.

Tonight, Thanksgiving and Memorial Meeting for dear Howard, getting on to three thousand people. Interesting and useful. The decorations, which were striking. Lucy spoke and touched. Pavson and Melchior well, as did

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Inaugurating Founder's Day—Futility of Prison System—Royal Greeting and an Auspicious Dedication at Stockholm—Love's Deathlessness

(Colonel), who both knew and worked under it. We had forty penitents, all but one or two for Salvation, and several very interesting, including some who had held out against the Spirit of God during the Congress, but were now broken to pieces. How patient God is! Closed at 10.30; everybody tired out.

I am told we have a good Press. Saturday, 7th.—Left Christiania last night at 5 o'clock and arrived at Stockholm at 7 a.m. The stopping in the train tired me much; it might be called a stopping journey! Mitchell (Commissioner, Territorial Commander) met us; he is looking well.

Heavy mail at Hotel; some London letters which ought to have gone to Christiania have come here. At 11, Conference with Mitchell. Progress in Sweden undoubted. Cordial telegram from King Gustav.

Convey to the Swedish Officers of The Salvation Army my hearty thanks for their kind message of greeting, together with my best wishes for a continuation of their blessed work.

7 p.m., Auditorium, a round building, seating two thousand, crammed with Soldiers and Reservists. Talked an hour and a half, and closed with an appeal to which seventy responded.

Sunday, 8th.—A restless night; very much warmer. At 8.45 a.m. to new Camp Ground; an estate of about thirty-nine acres, part of a forest some six miles from Stockholm. The park is to be used for Demonstrations, with house and small Hall for local Corps. The Army acquired the property very cheaply. Sawton (Commissioner, now in Canada East) undertook this scheme. Svensson (Lieut.-Colonel, Property Secretary) has borne the chief part of the burden; Mitchell has brought it to completion; and now I have opened it!

Three Meetings today in a rising amphitheatre, five thousand seats, with standing for five hundred more; the whole surroundings, delightful. At 10.30 I raised the flag, on which was inscribed the words "Sweden for Jesus," and dedicated the whole place to God and the people.

There were some penitents at the conclusion of the morning Meeting. Afternoon, crowded again for Y.P. Demonstration. Night, wonderful scene and influence. Cliffe made a deep impression. Delighted with fish-ing in After-Meeting. Very tired.

On the way back this evening had a wonderful view of this beautiful city—the Venice of the North. One of those glorious sunsets for which Stockholm is famous at this time of year, and the effect of the varying lights on the roofs of the houses, on the bright outstanding buildings and the sparkling waterways, was really very charming. My heart cried out, "Oh, Lord, make it a city of God!"

Monday, 9th.—A broken night. Letters, and many cables. The cares of our whole world converge on me wherever I am!

Service at 3 o'clock in the principal State Church of Stockholm, quite full; some three thousand people. Most intense, and extremely trying,

especially in the upper galleries. coblen perspired, exhaustively; at one moment I thought he would be overcome by the heat. A beautiful Patriotic Psalm, many of the seekers entire strangers, and some of our own dear people for Holmes.

Skansen, the Stockholm Zoological Garden, at 8. Spoke to an enormous crowd. Important talk with Knott (Lieut.-Colonel, Chief Secretary, Denmark), who is here. Read a little, and thought about tomorrow's Meetings. Good wire from P.; her Meetings going well. She feels keenly the loss of Howard.

Wednesday, 11th.—Yesterday and today many Officers' Councils. Abnormal heat much against us. Sent Officers away this afternoon to go on the water for a little while, and worked on my papers. Divine visitation at night. I am deeply impressed by these Officers. Mitchell has taken well hotel, and Mrs. Mitchell exerts a delightful influence.

Friday, 13th. Travelling. Left Stockholm last night for Berlin, after Meeting with Staff and various interviews. Feeling great confidence in Mitchell's leadership of the Command and praised God for much that I have seen.

Friedrich (Colonel, Chief Secretary, Germany) met me en route for conference. Difficulties in Germany, but they are not insurmountable.

Among my letters one speaking of illness, suffering, operation, difficulty; but replete with interest and courage, from Peat (Brigadier, in Command of Kenya), Nairobi.

News of the death of a valued Field Officer in British Territory reached me. Duncey (Commandant) was in charge of the Regent Hall Corps; he was with me in the Meeting in Hyde Park the other Sunday. Very mysterious! We do not know God's plans, and therefore cannot judge the methods.

Saturday, 14th.—Changed route owing to fine weather, and returned via Flushing. Fine boat. Newspapers here: long talk with some Pressman. One who reported our dear Mother's last sermon thirty-five years ago; the impression he then received has never left him.

Among my thoughts to-day Prayer Book Revision and Communion in the Church of England, which occupy space in all the newspapers. I wonder it does not strike our High Church friends that there is no comparison between the enormous amount of time and attention they devote to this sacrament and the very slight, indeed, all but negligible references to it in the New Testament. Paul's Letter to the Romans is a masterpiece of comprehensive instruction and reasoning as to the new faith, yet he does not refer to the subject at all, either directly or indirectly, and he only mentions Baptism once, and then not in a very impressive way.

(To be continued)

EACH sin has a door of entrance,  
Keep that door closed!  
Bar it tight!  
Just outside the wild beast  
crouches  
Pin the bolt with a prayer  
God will fix it there.

VOCATION  
OF  
MOTHERHOOD  
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